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(*f*) bolding over 6 acres and below 30 acres.
(*g*) ,, 30 acres and below 60 acres.
(*h*) ,, 60 acres and below 120 acres.
(*i*) ,, 120 acres and below 300 acres.
(*j*) ,, 300 acres and below 600 acres.
(*k*) ,, 600 acres and below 1,000 acres.
(*l*) ,, 1,000 acres and below 1,500 acres.
(*m*) ,, 1,500 acres and below 3,000 acres.
(*n*) ,, 3,000 acres and below 5,000 acres.
(*o*) ,, 5,000 acres and below 6,000 acres.
(*p*) ,, 6,000 acres and below 7,000 acres.
(*q*) ,, 7,000 acres and below 8,000 acres.
(*r*) ,, 8,000 acres and below 10,000 acres.

THE HON. SRI T. PRAKASAM :—" The Government have not the information asked for and it cannot be collected without considerable labour and expense."

KHAN BAHADUR T. M. MOIDU SAHIB BAHADUR :—" May I know whether the Government think it worth while or not to collect the information and place it before the House? "

THE HON. SRI T. PRAKASAM :—" We have been trying to get the information, and we shall try to get it as far as possible."

Flag-hoisting ceremonies performed by Ministers and consequent travelling expenses.

* 85 *Q.*—SRI B. NARAYANASWAMI NAYUDU : Will the Hon. the Prime Minister be pleased to state the number and places of flag-hoisting ceremonies performed by the Hon. Ministers or their Secretaries since July 1937 and the amount of travelling expenses drawn in connexion therewith?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARIAR :—" The Hon. Ministers and their Parliamentary Secretaries have not kept any account of the ceremonies referred to and performed by them. The tours were not undertaken for that purpose and no expenditure on travelling allowance has been incurred in that connexion. Popular Ministers cannot avoid engagements of various kinds while they move about on public business."

SRI B. NARAYANASWAMI NAYUDU :—" I have asked about flag-hoisting ceremonies; and there might have been flag-hoisting ceremonies along or in conjunction with other business also."

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THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARIAR:—" The hon. Member has not followed my answer. It is 'The Hon. Ministers and their Parliamentary Secretaries have not kept any account of the ceremonies referred to and performed by them. The tours were not undertaken for that purpose and no expenditure on travelling allowance has been incurred in that connexion. Popular Ministers cannot avoid engagements of various kinds while they move about on public business.' "

Labour strikes in the Province since July 1937.

* 86 *Q.*—SRI B. NARAYANASWAMI NAYUDU: Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state the number of labour strikes since July 1937, the places and concerns involved in such strikes, the duration of each strike, the number on strike during each strike, the suspension of industry during each strike, the loss resulting therefrom to industry and the causes of the strikes?

THE HON. SRI V. V. GIRI:—" The attention of the hon. Member is invited to the appendix to the Administration Report of the Labour department for 1937–38 which has been placed at the disposal of the Press. A fuller account of the trade disputes will appear soon."

Extent of wet and dry lands available for assignment.

* 87 *Q.*—SRI RAO BAHADUR M. RAMAKRISHNA REDDI: Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to place on the table of this House a statement showing the extent in each of the categories of wet and dry lands available for assignment in each taluk of the Presidency?

THE HON. SRI T. PRAKASAM:—" The Government have no information but have called for a report."

Cost of electricity supplied for agricultural purposes.

* 88 *Q.*—SRI B. NARAYANASWAMI NAYUDU: Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state what the cost per unit is for electricity supplied for agricultural purposes in Coimbatore district?

THE HON. MR. YAKUB HASAN:—" The rate for supply of power for agricultural purposes is as follows:—

Power at 400 volts for bona fide agriculturists having not less than three horse-power connected—

For the first 250 units per installed horse-power per annum—1 anna per unit.